



FIRST EDITION.

1130 P. M.

TELEGRAPHIC.

News in Brief, Gathered by Wire and Cable.

HURRICANE AND EARTH-QUAKE.

New York, Sept. 3.—The following particulars of the recent hurricane and earthquake at Jamaica reach us via Panama: The wind raged with such fury at the beginning that the street cars had to cease running. It was a battle between wind and rain. Branches of trees were tossed about, and with boards, shingles, etc., clipped off by force of element, it was hazardous to venture out to view the disaster that prevailed. At 8:30 the fury of the storm was at its height. The hissing, creaking, whistling, roaring sound of the wind was fearful. Vessels have been sunk and driven ashore, wharves destroyed, roofs blown off, trees uprooted and a catalogue of other damages sustained which is impossible now to estimate. A list is given of twenty-five vessels, which sustained more or less damage, some of the being driven ashore and broken up. Two or three vessels are ashore on the palisades. Every wharf except one has been blown away, including harbor head wharves. The sea beach is strewn with flour, rice, fish and other articles of food. It is believed several lives have been lost, as many persons from different vessels are missing. The sea saved from the shipping could not see anything in the way of clothing or effects. The tiles which pave the Victoria market wharves have all been blown off, leaving the market a mere skeleton. All the penitentiary vessels have foundered and those at Port Royal have sustained considerable damage. The harbor presents a dreadful appearance, as there is not a sound vessel on the wharf to be seen. The damage on land is roughly estimated at \$500,000. The roof of the custom house is entirely bare, all the tiles having been blown off. The villages of Allamantown, Brownstown, Passmoretown, Hanahstown, Smith's village, and Fletcher's land having sustained considerable damage. The lunatic asylum suffered severely, as also the general penitentiary. All the churches and shops suffered more or less from the destructive visit. Three severe shocks of earthquake are said to have been felt during the storm. The barracks at the up-park camp, being on an elevation, has been demolished and a large number of coconut trees have been blown down. The banana crop is entirely destroyed. Communication with the country parts has been cut off and no telegrams can be sent from Kingston Station, the wires having all snapped.

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

New York, Sept. 3.—A special from Paris gives the following particulars of an accident on the river Ebro: Logrona is a beautiful town built on the right bank of the Ebro, where the river is deep. A regiment of the line was crossing on a pontoon bridge, the band playing gaily, when the bridge gave way, carrying into the river more than one hundred men and officers. The scene that followed was of indescribable horror. The panic-stricken soldiers on the shore were unable to assist their comrades, who were clinging to the debris of the bridge. The result was that most of them sank, all being in marching attire and armed with cartridges. The authorities procured boats and had the river dragged with nets and hooks. The search was prolonged by aid of torches until late in the night. The bodies of five officers and seventy men have been recovered and others have been found by the villagers lower down the river, where they were carried by the stream. A pontoon bridge had been erected to enable the passengers to cross the river while the stone bridge was being repaired, and had been pronounced safe by the engineers. Seventy-nine persons in all are known to have been drowned. Seventy-nine persons in all are known to have been drowned, and it is feared the full extent of the loss of life has not yet been ascertained.

IOWA DEMOCRATS.

Des Moines, Sept. 3.—The democratic state convention assembled here yesterday with 88 out of 99 counties represented. Daniel T. Miller was chosen permanent chairman. A resolution was adopted which endorsed the national platform and nominees of the Cincinnati convention, as giving assurance of a pure and careful administration of national affairs; favored a judicious license law and applauded the action of the democratic state representatives in opposing summary legislation. The district electors and state officers were chosen.

NATIONAL BOARD OF STEAM NAVIGATION.

NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 2.—At a meeting of the national board of steam navigation to-day a letter was read from Surgeon General Hamilton, of the United States marine hospital service, urging the passage of a law compelling the examination of all seamen before shipment. He further suggested the establishment of a national ship-harbor for worthy seamen and officers who are permanently disabled. Resolutions were adopted recommending the establishment of such a refuge for disabled seamen as the surgeon general suggested, and also one favoring national encouragement of a regular system of training for the navy, as well as national encouragement of our mercantile marine, so that our own shipping may be commensurate with dignity and needs of the country, and so that our own ships may be commanded and sailed and our guns manned by American seamen. In support of this last resolution, a letter was read from naval lieutenant Chadwick, who strongly urged the necessity for the establishment of a marine training school. The executive committee was instructed to prepare a memorial to congress embodying these resolutions. Mr. B. Osborn offered a series of resolutions, which were adopted, favoring the passage by congress of a law to regulate the compulsory pilotage on coastwise vessels and to establish a uniform system of rates and regulations. A resolution was also adopted setting forth the danger to ships in the New York harbor from the practice of towing unlighted ore barges at night, and requesting the secretary of the treasury to investigate the subject with a view to the correction of the evil. After transacting some other business, the board adjourned until to-morrow.

SOUTH CAROLINA REPUBLICANS.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 2.—The republican state convention met at 12 noon, and all the counties in the state were represented except Harry. There were contesting delegations from Beaufort and Union counties. E. W. Mackey was elected permanent chairman, and Henry Noah secretary. The committee on credentials was appointed and a recess taken until 4 o'clock. On reassembling, the committee on credentials not being ready to report, the convention laid on its ears until 5 p. m. The committee then reported recommending that neither delegation from Union be admitted, which was adopted. In the case of Beaufort, the committee recommended the seating of both delegations, with half a vote each. One of the contesting delegations from Beaufort was headed by Robert Smalls, ex-member of congress, and the other by W. J. Whipper, both colored. Lively sparring ensued, resulting in the ousting of the Whipper delegation. The convention then, on motion of H. L. Shreve, went into secret session on matters of vital importance. The indication is that state ticket will be nominated. Such appears to be the desire of the colored delegates.

DEMOCRATS IN CONFERENCE.

New York, Sept. 3.—The democratic committee yesterday agreed that Tammany hall should first select two congressional districts, then Irving hall two, and the remaining three should be drawn for, with the understanding that whichever should draw the eighth district should also take the eleventh district. Tammany hall selected the sixth and ninth districts, represented by S. S. Cox and Fernando Wood, Irving hall selected the fifth and tenth districts, represented by Nicholas Muller and James O'Brien, and the remaining three numbers were put in a hat, when Tammany hall drew the seventh, represented by Edwin Einstein, and Irving hall drew the eighth, represented by McCook, and, as by agreement, took the eleventh, represented by Mr. Morton. The conference was harmonious throughout.

THE INDIANS.

Denver, Colo., Sept. 3.—A special to the Tribune from Santa Fe says the latest news from Chippahua is that Col. Valle has gone south with all the available Mexican troops to intercept the revolutionists and suppress the revolution in the state of Durango. Col. Joaquin Terreros, with two hundred mounted volunteers, has taken the field against Victoria's Indians, and different towns of the border have been called upon to furnish volunteers for the campaign.

THE UTES.

Southern Ute Agency, Cal., Aug. 27, via Lake City, Cal., Sept. 2.—The southern Utes signed an agreement to-day. The question is practically settled, and when fully consummated the commission will proceed to the enumeration of Indians, payment of money and localities of lands.

ANOTHER STEAMER LOST.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—A special from St. Augustine, Fla., gives the following: There is very little doubt that the steamer Vera Cruz, of the Mexican line, which sailed from New York on the 25th of August, for Havana and Vera Cruz, went down in a recent hurricane, which has already strewn our coast with wrecks. Only the faintest hopes remain that any of her passengers have survived. This terrible discovery was made here yesterday, when portions of the mail carried by the ill-fated vessel were washed ashore some miles south of this city. One mail bag contained letters for Cuba and Mexico which had been posted in Paris, France, on August 13th, and another lot was found with envelopes bearing the post mark, "New York, August 25." This at once indicated that the lost vessel was a mail steamer bound for southern ports, and the surmise was that it must have been the City of Vera Cruz, as she left New York on the day last named.

A special to an evening paper from St. Augustine, Fla., says of the supposed wreck of the Vera Cruz: Thus far six bodies have been washed ashore, together with a large amount of miscellaneous merchandise. One of the bodies was that of a middle aged lady, but there was nothing about her that would lead to her identification. Another body was that of a child, four years old, name not known, but probably Welsh, as they were the only family that had a child with them. The others were sailors, with the exception of one, who was dressed like a well-to-do business man. He looks like a Spaniard. It is feared that the terrible gale that has raged here for the past week made it impossible for any of those on board the ill-fated steamer to save themselves, even were they able to do so. The shore for miles is strewn with pieces of timber, boxes, barrels and other debris. Wrecking parties have been organized, and every thing of value is being stored in a storehouse on Main street.

A telegram received at the post-office to-day says: Letters which were in the mail and washed ashore on the Florida coast are postmarked New York, August 25th, and Paris, Aug. 13. This indicates that the mail arrived here by the Batavia from Liverpool, and was dispatched by the City of Vera Cruz. At the office of the Alexandria line at noon to-day no further information as to the loss of the City of Vera Cruz had been received, though an answer to a dispatch to St. Augustine, Fla., asking for details, is momentarily expected. Some do not believe the steamer is lost, but think she encountered a hurricane, during which the mail and baggage went overboard. She is pronounced one of the longest steamers in the world. She was on the dry dock previous to her last trip. The vessel is worth \$200,000, and insured in London and America. Many relatives and friends of passengers are at the office awaiting information. Captain F. Harris, who commanded the steamer on her previous voyage, is on board. The chief engineer is named Miller and the purser, Burke. The first officer, James Hinkley, of the steamer New Orleans, which encountered the gale in which the Vera Cruz is supposed to have been lost, said to-day that his vessel ran into a hurricane on the 28th of August, at 8 p. m., off the coast of Florida, between Cape Jupiter and Co. Cayal. The storm was from the north and east. The vessel was struck on the port side and heaved over on her beam's end. Four men were at the wheel all the time. It was impossible for a man to stand on the deck. The vessel for a long time was at the mercy of the wind and sea. The storm abated on the 29th of August. Three boats were stove and one lost and the deck raving was carried away. He knows nothing about the Vera Cruz, though he thinks she must have encountered the same gale. One sea on board the New Orleans thought he saw the Vera Cruz during the cyclone, but his statement is not credited.

POLITICAL.

DES MOINES, IOWA, Sept. 2.—The democrats of the 7th congressional district, yesterday nominated Hon. S. S. Mallory, of Lucas county, refusing to endorse Gillette, greenback nominee and present incumbent, by a vote of 43 to 11.

LINCOLN, NEB., Sept. 2.—The republican convention last evening elected Chas. A. Holmes, chairman, and nominated presidential electors and alternates. E. K. Valentine was renominated for congress by acclamation. Albers Nance was renominated for governor and E. C. Carns for lieutenant governor.

GALVESTON, TEX., Sept. 3.—A dispatch to the News from Jefferson says the democrats of the second district, yesterday, renominated D. B. Culbertson for Congress.

DEAD.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—William Henry Wills, one of the originators of "Punch," and afterwards associated with Charles Dickens in the establishment of "Household Words," of which he was working editor, is dead. He was in his 71st year.

FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The house of lords this evening passed the savings banks bill, the bill in relation to the loading of grain cargoes, and the hares and rabbits bill.

A resolution by Mr. Thomas P. O'Connor, home rule member for Galway, "That it is no longer just or expedient that all measures for the improvement of the condition of the people of England, Ireland and Scotland should be at the mercy of a people consisting of legislators hereditary and irresponsible," was moved in the house of commons in the small hours of Wednesday morning, after the passage of the burials bill, and was seconded by Mr. Labouchere (liberal) member for Northampton. The marquis Hartington humorously deprecated the raising of a great constitutional question at half past three o'clock in the morning. He said he hoped the house would proceed with as little delay as possible to more serious business on the paper. The house then divided on the question. The vote stood 13 yeas to 71 nays. The minority consisted of five Irish members and Messrs. Brodrough, Briggs, Brodhurst, Ashton, W. Dilke, Sir Wilfred Lawson, Labouchere, Charles Macleod and Wholly. The majority included four Irish members. Mr. Parnell declined to have anything to do with the resolution.

In the house of commons to-day Mr. Labouchere gave notice that early in next session he would call attention to the legislative relation of the lords and commons and give a resolution on the subject. Mr. Arnold (liberal) will move, on going into the committee on appropriations, a bill that the rejection by the house of lords of a measure greatly promoting the welfare of Ireland has gravely increased the difficulties of the executive and endangers the grant of money for the expenses of the state. Mr. Parnell gave notice of a motion for taking the registration of the house of lords of the registration bill. To this Mr. Parnell assented.

Thos. Power O'Connor will preside at the Irish demonstration against the house of lords in Hyde Park next Sunday. A number of Irish members of the house of commons have promised to participate. The Times, in a leading article, says: "It is much to be regretted that the house of lords should have rejected the bill for the registration of votes in Ireland. It was a waste of their power. When struggles can be foreseen on matters of great moment, it is imprudent to provoke ill feeling over trifles. The bill provides facilities for the registration of voters in Ireland which were identical in the main with those existing in England, and the house of lords might wisely have assented to it as dealing with a matter peculiarly within the province of the lower house."

A dispatch from Copenhagen to the St. James Gazette says the Bernhardt incident has resulted in the definitive recall of Baron Magnus, Prussian minister to Denmark, and Baron Kiderlen Waechten has been appointed charge d'affairs.

AYOUB KHAN.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The viceroy of India telegraphs that Gen. Stewart's rear guard arrived at Dacca Wednesday (yesterday). Reports from Kabul say all is well there. The ameer is assiduous in personally conducting the public business. Trade is reviving, and goods are arriving from Jelalabad.

Col. St. John reports that Ayoub Khan's force consists of 4,000 regulars, four regiments of Ghazis, whereof one-third have fire arms, 2,000 cavalry and twenty-eight guns. Ayoub Khan has written to Gen. Roberts an apologetic letter, saying he was forced to fight. Gen. Roberts replied that he (Ayoub Khan) must surrender unconditionally.

RAILROAD DISASTER.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—A train on the Midland railway, going from Liverpool to London, ran off the track just outside the central station at Manchester to-day. Two carriages were smashed and a number of passengers injured. Six of the wounded have been taken to the hospital.

MINOR DISPATCHES.

GENEVA, N. Y., Sept. 3.—A strong easterly wind has prevailed continuously since Monday, and another postponement of the races which were announced to be towed this morning is necessary. The events will take place as soon as the water will permit.

Is It Possible

That a remedy made of such common, simple plants as Hops, Buchu, Mandrake, Dandelion, &c., make so many and such marvelous and wonderful cures as Hop Bitters do? It must be, for when old and young, rich and poor, Pastor and Doctor, Lawyer and Editor, all testify to having been cured by them, we must believe and doubt no longer. See other column.—Post.

YOUNG REPUBLICANS.

Organization of a Central Garfield and Arthur Club.

With a Membership of Over Three Hundred.

A Rousing and Enthusiastic Organization. Knoxville was abuzz with enthusiasm and patriotism last night especially in the neighborhood of the new republican headquarters in the opera house building. As has been announced, a meeting was held at these headquarters to organize a central young men's Garfield and Arthur club. Early in the evening a display of fireworks was made in front of the room, the bands paraded the streets, and an immense crowd was gathered. The room, though large and commodious, was not sufficient to hold near all.

Three bands of music were in attendance, the Old Fellows silver cornet, and the two colored brass bands, and furnished some inspiring strains of music, including "Yankee Doodle," both before and during the exercises. When the crowd had gathered a great club, composed of Messrs. Alvin Barton, Wm. M. Baxter, A. R. Hamer, Judge George Andrews, Wm. Richards and S. H. Thornburgh, with Mr. T. P. Richards skillfully handling one of Marshall & Co.'s fine organs, sang with fine effect the "Star Spangled Banner." They also furnished other pieces during the progress of the meeting.

The room, as described by us in full yesterday morning, had been made additionally attractive. A large portrait of the martyr president, Abraham Lincoln occupied a central position behind the chairman's desk, and on either side were pictures of George Washington, the father of his country, and U. S. Grant, its savior. The chairman's desk was graced with some magnificent bouquets of flowers, kindly contributed by Mrs. Callie Hale and Miss Annie Brownlow.

The meeting was called to order by H. T. Cooper. Jno. C. Hook was chosen temporary chairman, and D. T. Hickey and H. H. Brandon, temporary secretaries.

Some time was then devoted to the enrollment of members of the club, and, as was afterwards announced, something over three hundred names were enrolled, all, with very few exceptions, young republicans, many of whom were the country, with earnest and patriotic hearts throbbing for the success of the glorious republican cause.

On motion of D. S. Bowers, the following were appointed a committee on resolutions: D. S. Bowers, A. R. Humes, H. M. Madden, Jno. H. Moore and W. L. Trent.

The following resolutions were reported by the committee and adopted: Resolved, That we, the members of the young men's central Garfield and Arthur club of Knoxville, cordially approve of the principles of the republican party, as set forth in the platform of the national republican convention at Chicago, and the platform adopted by the republicans of Tennessee at the Nashville convention in May last.

Resolved, That the nomination of the distinguished soldier-statesman of Ohio, Gen. James A. Garfield, and that of Gen. Chester A. Arthur, of New York, meets with our unqualified approbation; also that of Judge Alvin Hawkins, our candidate for governor, and of Hon. U. C. Hook, our standard bearer for congress in the second congressional district, and we pledge ourselves to labor earnestly for their success.

The following additional committee were appointed: On permanent organization—H. T. Cooper, Arthur Swan, C. A. Reader, A. E. T. Draper, D. T. Hickey.

Executive Committee—H. T. Cooper, Jno. C. Hook, Chas. H. Brown, J. E. Lutz, W. H. Franklin, Finance—W. F. Gibbs, T. D. McFarland, J. E. Lutz, D. S. Bowers, Arthur Swan.

Music—A. R. Humes, Jas. F. Rule, Prof. John Marshall, Wm. M. Baxter, Ed. Barker.

Eloquent, able and encouraging addresses were made by Hon. O. P. Temple, Col. H. R. Gibson, Wm. Rule, E. J. and Maj. E. C. Camp, which were responded to with hearty applause.

On motion of W. D. Rule, the action of Sheriff Reeder, in the late contest for the sheriffship of Knox county, was endorsed by a unanimous vote.

On motion of Jesse Stanley, a vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. Callie Hale and Miss Annie Brownlow for the beautiful floral contributions.

H. M. Madden moved and it was carried, that this club open communication with similar clubs in the state with a view to a grand general rally at some time before the election. Also a motion inviting Maj. A. H. Pettibone, of Greenville, L. C. Keeney, of Jackson, and R. W. Austin, of Washington, to address the club at some future day.

On motion of H. T. Cooper, Wm. Rule, Esq., member of the national executive committee, was requested to furnish the club a portrait of his to adorn the walls among the others.

The club then adjourned to meet again next Thursday night.

It was indeed an auspicious opening of the campaign by the young republicans. Everything passed off with much success, and although it was but almost to suffocation, the entire proceedings and gave the closest attention. The young republicans of Knoxville are now in the harness in hard earnest

Dr. HARTER'S FEVER & AGUE SPECIFIC

STANDS TO-DAY WITHOUT A RIVAL IN THE WORLD. For the cure of all kinds of Ague and Chills it has no equal. Having stood the test for thirty years in the most malarial districts, it never fails to cure, not merely removing for a time the symptoms, but eradicating the cause of the disease, thereby making a permanent cure.

Manufactured by The Dr. Harter Medicine Co., No. 213 N. Main Street, St. Louis.

Rev. F. HACKENBERG, Supt. German Protestant Orphan's Home, St. Charles Rock Road, St. Louis Co., writing April 30th, 1877, says: "Dr. Harter's Fever and Ague Specific is a positive cure for Chills and Fever; has never failed with us."

Mr. J. C. WELBORN of Keyport, Ill., says: "I cured a little girl of Ague of three years' standing, with Dr. Harter's Fever and Ague Specific, after the best physicians failed to benefit her."

Dr. YOUNGLOOD of Little York, Mo., says: "I have used Dr. Harter's Fever and Ague Specific in my practice, and can heartily recommend it to the public."

LEWIS & CARHART, KNOXVILLE, TENN.

HEADQUARTERS FOR WHOLESALE GROCERIES, STAPLE GROCERIES, FANCY GROCERIES, AND NEW YORK PRICES, Freight Added. BEST QUALITY OF COAL OIL. LENOIR'S AND ROCKFORD YARNS. Plenty of Storage Room.

BOYD & CASWELL,

(SUCCESSORS TO S. B. BOYD AND WM. CASWELL & CO.)

Manufacturers, and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

FURNITURE

CHAMBER SUITS, PARLOR SUITS,

Chairs, Diningroom Suits, Spring Mattresses

CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, MATTINGS,

Table Linens, Towels, Napkins, Curtains,

BLANKETS, SHEETINGS.

AND ALL KINDS OF HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS.

74 and 76 Gay Street.

Orders Carefully Filled. Terms Cash.

and start the canvass with a boom which augurs a grand success. We hope other clubs will organize all over the state and emulate the example so well set. The club had an invitation to attend the grand demonstration in honor of Postmaster General Maynard in Washington last night.

Weather Report.

KNOXVILLE, Sept. 3, 1880.
Time... 7 a.m. 10.82 2 p.m. 2.32
Barom't... 30.05 30.01 29.92 29.92
Therm't... 72.5 88 89 87
Vel. N.W. 7.5 7.2 7.3 7.3

Maximum Thermometer, 87; Minimum, 70; Rainfall, 0.07 inch.
INDICATIONS: For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, stationary barometer, stationary or high or low temperature, south to west winds, partly cloudy weather and occasional local rain.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Cotton—net receipts none; gross receipts none. Futures closed weak; sales, 81,000 bales; September, 11.51 11.16; October, 10.64 10.65; November, 10.51 10.52; December, 10.52 10.53; January, 10.62 10.63; February, 10.75 10.76; March, 10.88 10.90; April, 11.02 11.04.

NEW YORK Cotton Market.—Cotton—irregular; sales, 482 bales; uplands, 11.13 10.5; New Orleans, 11.15 10.6; consolidated net receipts, 5,669 bales; exports to Great Britain, 1,817 bales.

General Market.—Southern flour, dull and in buyers' favor; common to fair extra, \$4.60 4.25; good to choice do., \$5.30 6.50. Wheat, 1 1/2c lower, closing a shade stronger and fairly active; ungraded red, \$1.00 1.04. Corn, a shade better, moderately active and closing strong, ungraded, 50 1/2 51 1/2c. Oats, about 2c better and closing firm; No. 3 40c. Coffee, firm and moderate demand. Sugar, steady and fairly active; centrifugal, 8 1/2 8 1/2c. Muscovado, 7 1/2 10 1/2c. Porto Rico, 7 1/2 10 1/2c. Fair to good refining, 7 1/2 10 1/2c. Prime, 7 1/2 10 1/2c. Refined, firm; standard A, 10 1/2 10 1/2c. Molasses, quiet and steady. Rice, unchanged

D'BULL'S COUGH SYRUP

and moderate inquiry. Wool, dull and heavy; domestic fleece, 33 1/2 34 1/2c; unwashed, 15 1/2 16 1/2c. Lard, moderately active and steady, \$16.00; middles, higher, and firm; long clear, 88 1/2c; short, 84 1/2c; long and short, 84 1/2c. Lard opened about 53 better, closed with the advance lost, but firm, \$8.35 8 1/2c.